

## Alexandria Gazette.

TUESDAY EVENING, MARCH 14, 1893.

## LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Sun rises to-morrow at 6:06; sun sets 5:54. High water 6:23 a. m. and 6:42 p. m.

**WEATHER PROBABILITIES.**—For this afternoon light rains, possibly changing to light showers Wednesday morning, when the weather will clear, with much colder northwesterly winds and a moderate cold wave. The weather will be fair Wednesday afternoon if not fair Wednesday morning.

**COLORED METHODISTS.**—Washington Conference, colored, closed its labors at Staunton, yesterday. The conference passed a resolution requesting President Cleveland to appoint one of its members chaplain to Fort Myer, this country.

Among the appointments made were the following:  
Alexandria District—J. L. Thomas, P. E. Alexandria, W. R. A. Palmer; Fairfax to be supplied; Falls Church, John Barnett; Leesburg, Joseph Wheeler; Lincoln, Philmore Joseph; Woodlawn B. W. Brown.

Washington District—W. H. Brooks, P. E. Benning, D. C. Alfred Young; Bowie, M. Noble Watkins; Laurel, M. S. A. Lewis; Marlboro, J. S. Jackson; Potomac, W. H. Murray; Rockville, Daniel Wheeler; St. Inigo, A. W. Brooks; Sandy Springs, T. H. Brooks; Tennallytown, J. C. Love; Washington, D. C., Asbury, D. W. Hager; Central, Wm. H. Gaines; Ebenezer, Alexander Dennis; Mount Zion, S. A. Carroll; Simpson Chapel, M. H. J. Naylor; City Missions, C. E. Davis; Woodville Mission, W. R. Davis; J. W. F. Bowen, field agent of Missionary Society.

**MEDIEVAL ROMANCE.**—A large and appreciative audience filled the Opera House last night to hear Mr. Percy Reese's lecture on the Eternal City and to gaze on and study the most interesting entertainment ever witnessed in Alexandria. Many of the views carried the audience back to the days of the Caesars, and some to the early days of Christianity. The house of Aquila and Trisella, where Paul himself lodged, was especially interesting. The exterior and interior of St. Peter's and the Vatican with their priceless treasures of art and relics passed in succession upon the screen, together with portraits of Michael Angelo and his contemporaries. Altogether the entertainment afforded a rare treat to the antiquarian, historian, Bible scholar and lover of art which will long be remembered.

**BADLY CUT.**—About 10 o'clock last night William Spriggs, a young colored man, appeared at the office of Dr. Klipstein with a severe cut on his arm and which was bleeding much profusely. The doctor, after much difficulty, stanching the flow of blood and later Spriggs left for his home. The man had left a trail of blood from near the corner of St. Asaph and Gibson streets to the doctor's office, and this morning officers Ferguson and Grady investigated the matter. Spriggs claims that he and a young colored man named George Gray got into a romp last night, near the corner of St. Asaph and Gibson streets, and that he drew a knife and cut at Gray, but in doing so slipped and fell and cut himself. The police do not believe the story and will further investigate the matter. They believe that Gray cut Spriggs.

**AN IMPOSTER.**—For the past few days a man named Joseph Sharp, purporting to be a preacher from York, Pa., has been in this city imposing upon the members of the Free Methodist congregation. Rev. W. H. Lanning, pastor of that congregation, supposing, from the man's conduct, that he was not right with him wrote to York, and to-day received letters showing Sharp to be an imposter. This evening he went to Sharp, told him of the letters and taking him to the wharf put him on board a steamer and sent him to Washington, telling him if he returned here again he would have him arrested. Sharp has been holding special services at the old First Presbyterian Church recently.

**PERSONAL.**—Mr. Joseph Lovejoy, of Boston, is visiting Mr. John Donnelly. Rev. John A. Rotchford, a native of this city and a prominent member of the Dominican order, is now spending a few days with relatives here. Judge Keith began a special term of the Chancery Court of Richmond yesterday for Judge Lamb. Miss Virgie Fleming, who is under treatment of Dr. Taber Johnson, in Washington, is improving in health. Mr. Havemeyer, of New York, is in the city, the guest of Mr. Lawrence Washington, and to-day with Mr. W. visited Mr. Vernon.

**AN ESTRAY WAGON.**—It's no uncommon thing for a horse to go astray, but when a wagon enters the itinerary it is something out of the ordinary. Superintendent of Police Dobie found such a vehicle adrift in the city some time last week and placed it on the south side of the square on Wilkes streets, between Royal and Fairfax, where it has since remained a plaything for the boys who occasionally place it athwart the street and in a measure obstruct the carriage way. It was from this wagon that young Tennessee made his plunge into the tunnel a day or two ago.

**SUPERVISORS' MEETING.**—The County Board of Supervisors met at the old Court House to-day. The road supervisors filed their annual report and the usual routine business of auditing accounts was transacted. It was decided to call the attention of the next grand jury to the neglect of the Washington Southern Railway Company in not keeping in repair the turnpike between this city and Washington owned by the company.

**RAN AWAY FROM HOME.**—George Diggs, colored, fourteen years old, applied for lodging at the Central police station in Baltimore last night and, it was stated, was recognized as a boy who ran away from his home in this city. He will be held for his father, Presley Diggs, who left here to-day for Baltimore to bring his son back home. The boy ran away from home last week after having been whipped by his father.

**NEW ALEXANDRIA.**—The engine and much of the machinery has been put in position in the new furniture factory at New Alexandria and it is expected that work will be commenced there this or early next week.

A new hotel building being erected at Alexandria has been about completed. The work thereon is being pushed to completion.

**POLICE REPORT.**—Last night was clear and cool. There was six prisoners and an equal number of lodgers at the station house.

The cases before Mayor Strauss this morning were of a trivial nature. Officer Ferguson yesterday evening arrested a colored boy named Ollie Leard for throwing stones in the street. He pleaded guilty by refusing to make a statement and was assessed \$2.

A native of lower Fairfax came to town yesterday in quest of work, which he failed to find or didn't search closely for. Later he took a drink of brandy and finally two of whiskey. A short time afterward he was totally oblivious to things terrestrial. Officer Tier found him as limp as a drowned man and procuring a wagon conveyed him to the station house. This morning the stranger gave a good natured description of his adventures—so far as he remembered them—and was discharged upon the payment of his fare to the police station (25 cents).

Edward Nelson and Sarah Levi, both colored, undertook to settle a feud yesterday with nature's weapons. Justice Beach happened to be close at hand and arrested both. It appeared that the woman acted in the aggressive and she was fined \$2.50 and the man discharged.

The last case on the docket was for abusive language on the part of Julia Grooms toward Harriet Luckett, both colored. The complainant swore to one thing and the defendant to another, and after listening to their pro and con testimony the Mayor fined the accused one dollar.

**OFFICERS ELECTED.**—At the meeting to-day of the directors of the Alexandria Insurance Company Mr. B. Wheat was reelected president and Mr. George Wise secretary.

The best he has ever tried, E. G. Bowling, Esq., Aquasco, P. O., Md., one of the State writers, "I take pleasure in recommending Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup as the best remedy for coughs and colds I have ever tried. Both myself and family have used it with most satisfactory results."

## TO THE LADIES.

The PETTICOAT CALIFORNIA BREAK-FAST FOOD COMPANY invite you to try the sample package left at your house. It is superior to any left at preparation and can be used in several different ways.

For sale by all retail grocers and all local jobbers.

mh14 2c PETTICOAT CAL. B. F. CO.

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FRESH & SALTED FISH,

Are receiving Fish daily from the shores of the Potomac, and will supply consumers in quantities to suit, either fresh or salted, by experienced packers. Country orders solicited and satisfaction guaranteed. Our brand of BARRELED FISH has always stood No. 1 in the market. Terms—C. O. D., or best references. GEORGE E. PRICE & CO. Stall 1 Royal street entrance to the City Market and Fish House front of Corporation Fish Wharf. mh14 2m

**SEED POTATOES.**

Place your orders with us now for Seed Potatoes. We have on route one car choice MAINE EARLY ROSE, in three-bushel round hoop barrels. Quality and prices guaranteed. mh14 1w S. L. MONROE & CO.

**EATING POTATOS.**

In stock and for sale one carload famous NEW YORK BURBANK POTATOES at low prices. mh14 1w S. L. MONROE & CO.

**300,000** feet of original growth

**PINE LUMBER.**

for sale. Apply to L. W. GRAVES, Buckersville, Greene county, Va. mh14 6c

**FOR SALE.**—An almost new UPRIGHT PIANO, good tone. First class condition. Will be sold cheap and on easy terms. Apply at 504 King street. mh14 3c

**FOR RENT.**—From April 15th first FLOOR of a desirable house centrally located, also use of dry cellar and yard. Apply at 713 Cameron street. mh14 3c

**POTATOES.**

One car load of NORTHERN EARLY ROSE SEED POTATOES. mh14 1w CARR & SWETNAM.

**GET THE STUDENT CAMERA.** Photographing outfit complete for \$2.50. mh14 1w T. D. GAMBRILL.

**YOU CAN GET AT TOWEL** 20x40 inches for 10 cts. AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

**A FULL LINE OF MONARCH SHIRTS** at ways on hand at AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

**WE ARE SELLING A GOOD CELLULOID COLLAR** at 15c. at AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

**A FULL and beautiful line of SPRING CRAVATS** just received at AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

**A FINE ASSORTMENT OF MEN'S NECKWEAR** just received by AMOS B. SLAYMAKER.

**GREAT BARGAINS in fine ALL WOOL UNDERSHIRTS** at AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

**CHOICE PORTO RICO MOLASSES** received to-day by J. C. MILBURN.

**FRESH WALNUTS, Brazil and Pecan Nuts** just received by J. C. MILBURN.

**A GREAT BARGAIN IN TOWELS** knotted fringe and hemstitched, at 25c, at AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

**A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF CRASH** from 5c up, at AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

**CLUB HOUSE CHEESE** (hermetically sealed in glass jars) for sale by H. C. WALLACE.

**FOR REAL BARGAINS in MEN'S UNDERWEAR** go to CHAPMAN'S, 424 King street.

**CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S JAMS** in one pound Glass Jars, 15c each at J. C. MILBURN.

**VERY FINE MARACAIBO and LA GUAYRA COFFEE** just received by J. C. MILBURN.

**CHOICE EVAPORATED APPLES** and Sundried Apples, for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

**CHOICE MAPLE SYRUP** in pint and bottles and by the measure, for sale at J. C. MILBURN'S.

**OLD MELROSE PURE RYE WHISKY** in quart bottles for sale by H. C. WALLACE.

**SARATOGA CHIPS and FRENCH MUSH ROOMS** for sale by H. C. WALLACE.

**CALIFORNIA EVAPORATED PEACHES** received to-day by J. C. MILBURN.

**COOK'S IMPERIAL EXTRA DRY CHAMPAGNE** (quarts) for sale by H. C. WALLACE.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

The City Council meets to-night.

A false alarm of fire shortly after 7 o'clock last night brought out the fire department.

Superintendent of Police Dobie to-day had the chain gang at work cleaning Pitt street.

Wash. Jackson, colored, recently recovered in Washington a valuable dog which he lost a year ago.

Mr. S. Cuvillier, jr., has tendered his resignation as linemen of the electric railway company to take effect to-morrow, the 15th.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to Samuel W. Reed and Martha V. Wigginton, both of Stafford county.

Mr. Henry Glascock, a well-known young citizen of Prince William county, died on Sunday at his father's residence near Occoquan.

Mrs. Helen Wimsatt, mother of Mr. J. Samuel Wimsatt, who formerly lived in this city, died at her home in Washington yesterday.

The steam tug Spray has been put in commission to run on the river. Capt. Fore is to command her, with W. W. Brown as engineer.

Celia Rowe, colored, who was well known in this city, died in Georgetown yesterday, and her remains will be brought here for interment.

A barge loaded with barrels sank at one of the Washington wharves this morning and all day barrels have been floating down the river past this city.

A certified copy of the will of the late Dr. Orlando Fairfax, probated in Richmond, was recorded in the clerk's office of the Corporation Court in this city to-day.

Sarepta Lodge, I. O. O. F., will to-night hold a special meeting at which the degrees of the order will be conferred by the degree team of Potomac Lodge.

Messrs. J. S. Yeaton and A. C. Cazecore have sold to the Alexandria Real Estate Company three-fourths of a square of ground on Fairfax street, between Greene street and Hunting creek, for \$1,050.

A lunatic who recently escaped from the Baltimore asylum was captured in Westmoreland county a few days since and was last night brought here on the steamer Arrowsmith and taken back to Baltimore.

The body of James Diggs, son of Beverly Diggs, colored, who was drowned from the steamer Dennis Simmons, in the Albemarle sound several weeks since, has been found and will be brought here for interment.

Rev. Father Kerick, assistant pastor of St. Matthews Church, Washington, will preach at St. Mary's Church in this city to-night. On Friday night the services of the Station of the Cross will be held at St. Mary's Church at 7 instead of 7:30 o'clock.

On account of the capacity of the hall being limited, the Lyceum has decided to issue invitations for their St. Patrick's Day celebration, which may be obtained from Rev. Father Cutler or members. Members can obtain invitations from the secretary.

A Washington paper says, "The Western Electric Company of Illinois has applied to the county court for a dissolution of the Potomac Electric Company, which is incorporated in the District and does business in Washington and Alexandria. The Western company has obtained a judgment for \$2,833.19 against the Potomac company for the electric lighting plant in Alexandria." Nothing of this is known in this city.

The steamer W. W. Coit, it is rumored, has not been so successful on her new route as it was at first thought. It was rumored yesterday morning that she had been withdrawn and that the Washington Flour and Feed Company were negotiating for her purchase. Her agent in this city said to-day that owing to a legal question as to the rights to the wharf property in Washington, the steamer has been withdrawn from the river line until the owners can settle or a new wharf secured.

Messrs. S. L. Monroe & Co. have for sale a fine lot of seed and eating potatoes.

Important.—All persons afflicted with rheumatism, neuralgia, sore throat, pains in the back or limbs, sprains, bruises, stiffness in the neck and joints, chilblains, frost-bites, scalds, burns, and wounds of all kinds, are hereby informed that what they need is Salvation Oil, the greatest cure on earth for pain. 25 cents.

## Great Triumph.

Instant relief experienced and a permanent cure by the most speedy and greatest remedy in the world—Otto's Cure for Throat and Lung diseases. Why will you continue to irritate your throat and lungs with that terrible hacking cough when E. S. Leadbeater & Sons', sole agent, will furnish you a free sample of this great guaranteed remedy? Its success is simply wonderful, as your druggist will tell you. Otto's Cure is now sold in every town and village on this continent. Samples free. Large bottles 50c.

## FOR DYSPEPSIA.

Indigestion, and Stomach disorders, take BROWN'S IRON BITTERS. All dealers sell it. Get the genuine, has trade-mark and crossed red lines on wrapper.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

## For Over Fifty Years.

An Old and Well-Tried Remedy.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their CHILDREN WHILE TEething, with PERFECT SUCCESS. It SOOTHES THE CHILD, SOFTENS THE GUM, ALLAYS ALL PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC and is the best remedy for DIARRHEA. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Its value is incalculable. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, and take no other.

Twenty-five cents per bottle.

Many Persons are broken down from overwork or household cares. Brown's Iron Bitters. Rebuilds the system, aids digestion, removes excess of bile and cures malaria. Get the genuine.

## LOST.

LOST—On Tuesday while going from the postoffice down Prince street to Fairfax to King, and thence to the depot, a SILK UMBRELLA with "Tressie Nesbit" engraved on a silver plate. A suitable reward will be paid for its return to this office. mh14 3c

IRISH LAWN, beautiful styles, at 12c, at CHAPMAN'S, 424 King street.

FINE LAYER FIGS for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

## MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK, March 14.—After some fluctuation in a few stocks in the market this morning a steadier feeling prevailed, and at 11 o'clock the speculation was firm at a recovery of 4 to 4 1/2 per cent. all around.

BALTIMORE, Mar. 14.—Virginia consols —; do 10-40s —; do 3s 71.

Wholesale Prices in Alexandria.

Flour, fine.....	\$1.75	a 2.00
Superfine.....	2.00	a 2.20
Barley.....	2.40	a 2.75
Family.....	3.60	a 3.90
Fancy brands.....	4.20	a 4.65
Wheat, longberry.....	.71	a .75
Fultz.....	.71	a .75
Mixed.....	.71	a .75
Feed.....	.68	a .70
Daup and tough.....	.67	a .68
Corn, white.....	.51	a .52
Yellow.....	.51	a .52
Mixed.....	.50	a .51
Corn Meal.....	.53	a .58
Oats.....	.38	a .42
Batter, Virginia.....	.22	a .25
Common to middling.....	.14	a .18
Eggs.....	.15	a .17
Western, hind quarters.....	.8	a .9
Fore quarters.....	.11	a .12
Turkeys, live per lb.....	.16	a .00
Dressed, drawn.....	.14	a .15
Live Chickens (hens).....	.10	a .11
Hogs, small.....	.9	a .9
Large.....	.8	a .9
Veal, Calves.....	.5	a .6
Lambs.....	.6	a .7
▲ spics per barrel.....	2.50	a 3.50
Cash Potatoes new per bush.....	1.00	a 1.10
Sweet Potatoes per bbl.....	3.25	a 4.50
Sweet Potato Yams per bbl.....	1.50	a 1.75
Onions per bushel.....	.8	a .10
Dried Peaches, peeled.....	.24	a .3
Unpeeled.....	.12	a .14
Dried Cherries.....	.7	a .9
Dried Apples.....	.15	a .16
Bacon, country hams.....	.13	a .14
Best sugar-cured ham.....	.15	a .16
Butcher's hams.....	.13	a .14
Breakfast Bacon.....	.12	a .13
Sugar-cured shoulders.....	.11	a .12
Bulk shoulders.....	.11	a .12
Long clear sides.....	.11	a .12
Fat backs.....	.11	a .12
Bellies.....	.11	a .12
Smoked shoulders.....	.11	a .12
Smoked sides.....	.11	a .12
Lard.....	.10	a .14
Smoked Beef.....	.12	a .13
Sugars—Brown.....	.4	a .4
Conf. standard A.....	4.75	a 4.85
Granulated.....	4.85	a 4.90
Coffees—Rio.....	.17	a .20
La Guayra.....	.18	a .20
Java.....	.26	a .28
Molasses H. S.....	.12	a .14
C. H.....	.17	a .22
New Orleans.....	.20	a .40
Porto Rico.....	.20	a .30
Sugar Syrup.....	.17	a .30
Herring, Eastern, per bbl.....	4.00	a 6.50
Potomac No. 1.....	3.50	a 5.00
Potomac family.....	4.75	a 5.00
No. 2 large fat.....	16.00	a 18.00
No. 3.....	18.00	a 20.00
Plaster ground per ton.....	5.50	a 6.50
Ground in bags.....	3.50	a 3.75
Lump.....	3.50	a 3.75
Clover Seed.....	3.50	a 3.75
Timothy.....	3.25	a 3.50
Old process Linseed Meal.....	31.00	a 32.00
Salt A.....	.70	a .90
Fine.....	.10	a .15
Turk's Island.....	.125	a .130
Wool—long, unwashed.....	.022	a .024
Washed.....	.030	a .032
Merino, unwashed.....	.020	a .022
Do, washed.....	.030	a .032
Hay.....	.070	a .075
Hay.....	.1350	a .1550
Cut do.....	.1700	a .1800
Wheat Bran per ton.....	19.00	a 19.75
Brown Middlings.....	.75	a .95
White Middlings.....	.75	a .95
Cottonseed Meal.....	28.00	a 29.25

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